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William K. Hubbard  
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5630 Fishers Lane, Room 1061  
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RE: Federal Register request for information  
Standard for vibrio-vulnificas  
Docket #98P-0504 volume 64, number 13, page 3300-3301

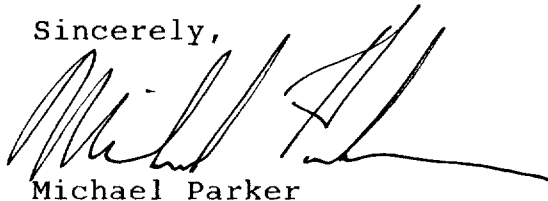
Dear Mr. Hubbard:

Willapa Bay oyster growers, are responsible for maintaining water quality in the bay. There are no problems affecting public health related to the shellfish industry on Willapa Bay that justify the extreme measures proposed by the Center for Science in the Public Interest. Public health is not in jeopardy.

Adoption of the extreme proposals in CSPI petition will destroy the Willapa Bay shellfish industry. The Interstate Shellfish Sanitation Conference is the best means for developing public health policy.

Please give these facts serious consideration.

Sincerely,



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